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SUBJECT: FIRST TEST FLIGHT OF IL-86

1. SOVIET PRESS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE IL-86 AIRBUS HAD
SUCCESSFULLY MADE ITS FIRST TEST FLIGHT ON DECEMBER 22, SPENDING
ONE-HALF HOUR IN THE AIR. THE AIRCRAFT CAN CARRY
350 PASSENGER, HAS AN OPTIMUM CRUISING SPEED OF 950 KILOMETERS
PER HOUR AND CAN FLY AT AN ALTITUDE OF 9-10 KILOMETERS.

2. COMMENT: IZVESTIYA ON NOVEMBER 29 CARRIED BRIEF ARTICLE ON A
SESSION OF THE COLLEGIUM OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
AT WHICH MINISTER BUGAYEV INDICATED THAT TEST FLIGHTS OF THE
IL-86 WERE IN PREPARATION. ACCORDING TO THE TENTH FIVE YEAR
PLAN (1976-80) GUIDELINES OF LAST MARCH, THE IL-86 IS TO BE
PUT INTO REGULAR SERVICE DURING THE PLAN PERIOD.
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